

TRANSMITTAL FORM FOR FILING PATENT APPLICATION

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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION
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First Named Inventor or Application
 Identifier: Johannes Theodorus Maria
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith under 37 CFR § 1.53 for filing is the patent application of:

Inventors: Johannes Theodorus Maria Slingerland; Antonius Johanna Maria Loverbos;
 Hendricus Bernardus Johannes Lamboo; and Bernardus Johannes Leonardus Lamboo

Entitled: FLOWER BOX ASSEMBLY

☐ This is a request for filing a ☐ continuation ☐ divisional
☐ continuation in-part application under \$1.53(b) of prior Application
 No. _____, filed _____, entitled:

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 14 pages of written description, claims and Abstract, inclusive
- ☒ 12 sheets of ☒ informal ☐ formal drawings of Figs. 1-16 (one set)
- ☒ Oath or Declaration
☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
☐ Copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional). The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
- ☒ To be filed later
- ☐ Cover sheet and Assignment of the invention to:
 including a check in the amount of \$_____ for recordation fee.
- ☐ Certified copy of a _____ application (if foreign priority is claimed) with letter claiming priority under Rule 55.
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement with _____ citations enclosed.
- ☒ Preliminary amendment is enclosed.
- ☒ Return receipt postcard
- ☐ Small entity status is entitled to be, and hereby is, asserted for this application.

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- ☐ Other:
- ☐ Priority is claimed under 35 USC § 120 as indicated on the attached sheet 4.
- ☒ Priority is claimed under 35 USC §119(a)-(d) as indicated on the attached sheet 4.
- ☐ Priority is claimed under 35 USC §119 (e) as indicated on the attached sheet 4.
- ☐ _____ is hereby appointed Associate Attorney by:
Registration No.:
- _____
Attorney of Record:
Registration No.:
- ☐ Power of Attorney in the originally-filed application has been granted to one or more of the registered attorneys listed below. The attorneys listed below not previously granted power in the originally-filed application, as well as _____, are hereby given associate power:
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- ☐ Cancel in this application original claims _____ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.
- ☒ Add in this application claims 21-27 per amendment before calculating fee.

CLAIMS FILED:	MINUS BASE:	EXTRA CLAIMS:	RATE:	BASIC FEE:
				\$770.00
Independent	1 - 3	= 0	x \$86.00 =	0
Total	27 - 20	= 7	x \$18.00 =	\$126.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claims (1st presentation)			+ \$290.00 =	0
SUBTOTAL FILING FEE				\$896.00
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TOTAL FILING FEE				\$896.00


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- [] The filing fee has been calculated above; a check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.
- [X] The filing fee will be submitted at a later date.
- [X] In the event a Petition for Extension of Time under 37 CFR \$1.17 is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.
- [] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees under 37 CFR \$1.16 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.

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[] Priority is claimed under 35 USC § 120 of prior Application(s)
No. _____ filed _____, entitled:

[] The above-identified application(s) is/are assigned of record to:

[X] Priority is claimed under 35 USC § 119 (a)-(d) of the following application(s).

<u>NL 1022981</u> (Application Number)	<u>Netherlands</u> (Country)	<u>20 March 2003</u> (Filing Date)
<u>NL 1024283</u> (Application Number)	<u>Netherlands</u> (Country)	<u>12 September 2003</u> (Filing Date)
_____ (Application Number)	_____ (Country)	_____ (Filing Date)

[] The above-identified application(s) is/are assigned of record to:

[] Priority is claimed under 35 USC § 119 (e) of the following provisional application(s).

_____ (Application Number)	_____ (Filing Date)
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[] The above-identified provisional application(s) is/are assigned of record to:

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